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## NATIONAL EGG REVIEW



As the week began prices were unchanged on all sizes in the Northeast and unchanged to higher on all sizes elsewhere. In New York this week, prices remained unchanged on all sizes. The trade sentiment was steady. Demand continued in a full range of light to very good, best for holiday needs. Supplies were mostly adequate to at times close for current needs. Prices for breaking stock were unchanged to one cent higher with check and undergrade prices mostly unchanged. Demand was light to fairly good with offerings closely balanced to available. Breaking stock bids for next week's deliveries were at the high side of the current quoted range. Schedules were mixed. The trade sentiment was mostly steady to instances barely steady. Removal costs for spent hens were unchanged. Offerings were adequate to barely adequate for the reduced Thanksgiving slaughter schedules. Demand was moderate to instances good. The trade sentiment was steady. Removal prices were .5-11 cents, mostly 6-9 cents per head.

PRICES TO RETAILERS, SALES TO VOLUME BUYERS, USDA GRADE A AND GRADE A, WHITE EGGS IN CARTONS, DELIVERED WAREHOUSE, CENTS PER DOZEN.

**MIDWEST REGIONAL** Prices were unchanged. Trade sentiment was steady. Retail movement was usually good to very good for last minute holiday orders. Food service demand was light to at times moderate. Supplies were adequate to at times close. Central States breaking stock prices were unchanged. Demand was light to fairly good with offerings closely balanced to available. Breaking stock bids for next week's delivery were at the high side of the quoted range. Schedules were mixed. Trade sentiment was mostly steady to instances barely steady.

### RANGE MOSTLY

|             |       |       |
|-------------|-------|-------|
| EXTRA LARGE | 62-71 | 65-68 |
| LARGE       | 61-70 | 63-66 |
| MEDIUM      | 51-60 | 53-56 |

MIDWEST AREA: IA, IL, IN, KY, MI, MN, OH, NE, ND, SD, WI, WV, Western NY, and Western PA

**NORTHEAST REGIONAL** Prices remained unchanged. Trade sentiment was steady. Demand into all channels ranged moderate to very good, best for holiday shopping. Supplies were generally sufficient for immediate trade needs. Breaking stock offerings were generally sufficient to barely adequate for reduced holiday schedules. Spent hens were mostly adequate to about adequate for processing requirements.

### RANGE MOSTLY

|             |       |       |
|-------------|-------|-------|
| EXTRA LARGE | 69-83 | 71-75 |
| LARGE       | 64-78 | 69-73 |
| MEDIUM      | 56-69 | 61-63 |

NORTHEAST AREA: CT, DC, DE, MA, MD, ME, NH, Eastern NJ, Eastern NY, PA, RI, Northern VA, and VT

## COMBINED REGIONAL

Oct 18, 2005

Average prices on sales to volume buyers, Grade A Large or better, White eggs in cartons, delivered warehouse, cents per dozen.

| REGIONS           | EX LARGE | LARGE | MEDIUM |
|-------------------|----------|-------|--------|
| NORTHEAST         | 73.00    | 71.00 | 62.00  |
| SOUTHEAST         | 74.50    | 72.50 | 61.00  |
| MIDWEST           | 65.50    | 63.50 | 54.50  |
| SOUTH CENTRAL     | 76.50    | 75.50 | 60.50  |
| COMBINED REGIONAL | 72.54    | 70.83 | 59.50  |

Computed from simple weekly averages weighted by regional area populations.

**IOWA-MINNESOTA-WISCONSIN** PRICES PAID TO PRODUCERS FOR LOOSE EGGS AT FARM, CASES EXCHANGED, GRADE YIELD BASIS, CENTS PER DOZEN

|        | 11-22-05 | 11-15-05 | 11-23-04 |
|--------|----------|----------|----------|
| Large  | 43-52    | 42-51    | 47-55    |
| Medium | 33-39    | 33-39    | 16-21    |

## WEEKLY SHELL EGG INVENTORY REPORT- NOVEMBER 21, 2005

STOCKS ON HAND AVAILABLE FOR MARKETING 1/  
(30 DOZEN CASES-IN THOUSANDS)

|                  |         | NO        |       | SO    | SO    | 5-Area  |       |
|------------------|---------|-----------|-------|-------|-------|---------|-------|
|                  |         | Northeast | CENT  | CENT  | Atl   | Pacific |       |
| Jumbo            | Curr Wk | 10.6      | 18.5  | 7.2   | 12.2  | 11.9    | 60.4  |
|                  | Change  | -2.4      | 1.5   | -1.9  | -1.1  | -0.3    | -7%   |
| Ex Lge           | Curr Wk | 26.1      | 43.9  | 7.9   | 16.3  | 38.7    | 132.9 |
|                  | Change  | -8.7      | -12.0 | -8.2  | -6.3  | -2.2    | -22%  |
| Large            | Curr Wk | 45.8      | 103.6 | 41.2  | 76.9  | 96.7    | 364.2 |
|                  | Change  | -1.7      | -26.5 | -44.9 | -18.9 | -14.0   | -23%  |
| Medium           | Curr Wk | 13.8      | 52.3  | 16.8  | 22.0  | 29.4    | 134.3 |
|                  | Change  | 0.1       | 6.8   | -2.5  | -1.6  | -2.3    | 0%    |
| Small            | Curr Wk | 3.4       | 5.4   | 0.4   | 4.1   | 3.3     | 16.6  |
|                  | Change  | -0.3      | -0.1  | -1.2  | 0.5   | 0.2     | -5%   |
| Misc             | Curr Wk | 3.6       | 28.7  | 9.0   | 13.6  | 4.9     | 59.8  |
|                  | Change  | 0.7       | 1.4   | -1.2  | -1.5  | 0.6     | 0%    |
| Ungraded         | Curr Wk | 18.7      | 34.6  | 20.2  | 19.5  | 23.5    | 116.5 |
|                  | Change  | 4.6       | -2.4  | -7.3  | -4.7  | -5.0    | -11%  |
| Total<br>Percent | Curr Wk | 122.0     | 287.0 | 102.7 | 164.6 | 208.4   | 884.7 |
|                  | Change  | -6%       | -10%  | -40%  | -17%  | -10%    | -16%  |

## TOTAL

Number of Cases Percent Change Number of Cooperators

|                          |         |      |     |
|--------------------------|---------|------|-----|
| Shell Egg                | 884.7   | -16% | 169 |
| Shell Egg Breaking Stock | 190.7   | -11% | 35  |
| Total Shell Egg          | 1,075.4 | -15% | 204 |

1/ Information supplied by a universe of 169 cooperators who normally have stocks on hand each Monday a.m. and is on the basis of matched plants reporting in both the current and previous weeks. This is a representative sample of the U.S. inventory and includes eggs packed for export when in cooperator's coolers.

No valid comparison can be made with year ago or previous months' figures due to changes in number of plants surveyed, holidays falling in different weeks or changes in size of plant operations.

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Northeast- CT, DE, MA, MD, ME, NH, NJ, NY, PA, RI, VT  
North Central - IA, IL, IN, MI, MN, ND, NE, OH, SD, WI  
South Central - AR, CO, KS, LA, MO, NM, OK, TX  
South Atlantic - AL, FL, GA, KY, MS, NC, SC, TN, VA, WV  
Pacific- AZ, CA, ID, MT, NV, OR, UT, WA, WY

**EGGS PROCESSED UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION - W/E 17-NOV-05**(LBS IN THOUSANDS)  
(EXCLUDES INGREDIENTS)

|           | CASES<br>BROKEN | LIQUID<br>WHOLE | LIQUID<br>WHITE | LIQUID<br>YOLK | DRIED   | INED    |
|-----------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|----------------|---------|---------|
| CW        | 1,275,700       | 31,963          | 11,183          | 5,975          | 2,042   | 4,425   |
| PW        | 1,302,392       | 31,948          | 11,599          | 6,118          | 2,189   | 4,402   |
| LY        | 1,255,972       | 31,336          | 11,467          | 6,173          | 1,988   | 4,435   |
| % Chg PWK | -2%             | 0%              | -4%             | -2%            | -7%     | 1%      |
| % Chg LY  | 2%              | 2%              | -2%             | -3%            | 3%      | 0%      |
| 2005      | 60,509,254      | 1,436,895       | 585,088         | 313,396        | 133,886 | 204,386 |
| 2004      | 57,156,114      | 1,358,116       | 549,913         | 297,131        | 123,698 | 196,485 |
| % Chg YTD | 6%              | 6%              | 6%              | 5%             | 8%      | 4%      |

| Average Yield Per Case - | Current<br>Week | Previous<br>Week | Last<br>Year |
|--------------------------|-----------------|------------------|--------------|
| (Inedible Included)      | 41.97           | 41.51            | 42.53        |
| (Inedible Excluded)      | 38.51           | 38.13            | 38.99        |

IN-LINE PRODUCTION (of total production; lbs. in thousands; may include limited amount of off-line source material)

|               | CASES BROKEN |            | LIQUID WHOLE |            |
|---------------|--------------|------------|--------------|------------|
|               | Cases        | % of Total | lbs.         | % of Total |
| CURRENT WEEK  | 512,430      | 40.2%      | 14,659       | 45.9%      |
| PREVIOUS WEEK | 550,083      | 42.2%      | 15,141       | 47.4%      |
| LAST YEAR     | 474,298      | 37.8%      | 13,026       | 41.6%      |

**BROILER HATCHERY**

| STATE            | Broiler Eggs Set in<br>19 Selected States |        | Broiler Chicks Placed<br>in 19 Selected States |        |
|------------------|---|--------|--|--------|
|                  | NOV 12                                    | NOV 19 | NOV 12   | NOV 19 |
|                  | Thousand                                  |        |  |        |
| AL               | *30,939                                   | 30,738 | *20,224  | 20,280 |
| AR               | 30,983                                    | 30,495 | *21,300  | 22,501 |
| DE               | 3,484                                     | 3,797  | 5,960  | 4,697  |
| FL               | 1,374                                     | 1,364  | 1,542  | 1,604  |
| GA               | *32,315                                   | 32,511 | 25,733   | 24,591 |
| KY               | 6,900                                     | 6,690  | *4,998   | 5,798  |
| LA               | 4,136                                     | 4,136  | 3,694  | 3,852  |
| MD               | 8,842                                     | 8,787  | 4,781  | 5,439  |
| MS               | 17,914                                    | 18,477 | 16,223   | 14,960 |
| NC               | *18,303                                   | 18,279 | *14,798  | 14,964 |
| OK               | 6,606                                     | 6,676  | *5,396   | 4,539  |
| PA               | *4,193                                    | 4,024  | *2,727   | 2,766  |
| SC               | 4,937                                     | 4,658  | 4,273  | 4,085  |
| TX               | 14,891                                    | 15,179 | 11,137   | 11,518 |
| VA               | 6,374                                     | 6,379  | 4,976  | 5,437  |
| CA, MO, TN, & WV | 18,203                                    | 18,052 | *17,236  | 17,268 |

19 State Total \*210,394 210,2425 \*164,998 164,299

Previous Year Total 207,845 208,330 161,853 162,5183

Pct. of Prev. Year 101 101 102 101

\* Revised

**WEEKLY FRYERS AVAILABLE FOR MARKETING** Based on the preliminary chick placements, the number of fryers available for marketing during the week ending 31-Dec-05 is estimated at 151.6 million head. This compares to 151.9 million head the previous week and to 152.6 million head the same week a year ago, when the slaughter was 139.3 million head and the composite weighted average price was 68.12 cents per pound.

**TRAILER LOAD EGG SALES - WEEKLY WTD AVG PRICES**

(CNTS/DOZ) NATIONAL TRADING FOR 11/16/05-11/22/05

CURRENT LDS 65.50 FUTURE LDS 126.50 TOTAL LDS 192.00

|           | SE    |       | NE    |       | MW    |       |       |
|-----------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| CLASS     | ORG   | DST   | ORG   | DST   | ORG   | DST   | LOADS |
| GNR W 1   | 49.50 | 58.10 | 50.90 | 53.47 | 51.00 | 52.75 | 49.00 |
| GNR W 4   | 25.00 | 26.00 | —     | —     | —     | —     | 1.00  |
| GNR BR 1  | —     | 80.00 | —     | —     | —     | —     | 2.00  |
| GL W J    | —     | —     | 64.50 | 65.75 | 43.33 | —     | 5.00  |
| GL W XL   | —     | 68.56 | 61.00 | 61.41 | 47.35 | —     | 42.75 |
| GL W LG   | —     | 69.30 | 58.50 | 62.67 | 44.25 | 51.92 | 40.75 |
| GL W MD   | 55.00 | —     | —     | 42.00 | 37.64 | —     | 19.50 |
| GL W SM   | 33.00 | 36.50 | 36.55 | 38.55 | —     | —     | 6.00  |
| NRBS - 48 | —     | —     | —     | —     | 37.30 | 34.71 | 46.00 |
| NRBS - 45 | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | 35.00 | 2.00  |
| NRBS - 42 | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | 1.00  |

**MOVEMENT OF EGGS INTO RETAIL CHANNELS W/E 18-NOV-2005**

| SELECTED<br>CONSUMING CENTERS | CW<br>THOUSANDS | PW    | PCT CHG |     |
|-------------------------------|-----------------|-------|---------|-----|
|                               |                 |       | PW      | LY  |
| Atlanta                       | 30.4            | 29.2  | 4       | -7  |
| Boston                        | 3.2             | 3.4   | -6      | -3  |
| Chicago                       | 108.0           | 106.8 | 1       | 67  |
| Detroit                       | 27.8            | 37.6  | -26     | 6   |
| Kansas City                   | 4.9             | 2.6   | 88      | -2  |
| Los Angeles                   | 118.0           | 119.0 | -1      | 28  |
| New Orleans                   | 5.4             | 5.6   | -4      | -18 |
| New York                      | 31.9            | 32.2  | -1      | -8  |
| St. Louis                     | 23.6            | 24.4  | -3      | 22  |
| San Francisco                 | 20.0            | 20.0  | 0       | -18 |
| Total                         | 373.2           | 380.8 | -2      | 21  |
| 4 Week Moving Avg.            | 362.0           |       |         |     |

**LIVE TURKEYS SLAUGHTERED W/E 19-NOV-05**

|                | YOUNG               |         | YOUNG    | OLD   | TOTAL   |
|----------------|---------------------|---------|----------|-------|---------|
|                | HENS                | TOMS    | BREEDERS |       | TURKEYS |
|                | -----THOUSANDS----- |         |          |       |         |
| Head           | 2,142               | 2,862   | 26       | 7     | 5,037   |
| Avg Wt         | 16.23               | 35.89   | 26.52    | 36.79 | 27.48   |
| Last week      | 2,847               | 2,677   | 20       | 0     | 5,544   |
| Same wk yr ago | 1,840               | 2,803   | 32       | 1     | 4,676   |
| Avg Wt         | 15.80               | 35.98   | 24.37    | 29.87 | 27.96   |
| To-date/2005   | 85,031              | 119,812 | 1,144    | 202   | 206,189 |
| To-date/2004   | 81,098              | 118,848 | 2,396    | 314   | 202,656 |

**NUMBER OF TURKEYS SLTRD IN FEDERALLY INSP PLANTS**

Week ending 19-NOV-05

(Preliminary) (Released 1:00 Eastern Time)

| —YOUNG TURKEYS— |            |         | OLD      | TOTAL TURKEYS   |
|-----------------|------------|---------|----------|-----------------|
| THOUSAND        | PCT CHG    | AVG     | BANDED   | AVG             |
| HEAD            | PW         | LIVE WT | THOUSAND | HEAD- LIVE WT   |
| North East      | 918        | 5       | 23.58    | (A) 920 23.58   |
| South Atlantic  | 694        | 20      | 30.86    | (A) 696 30.86   |
| North Central   | 2,188      | -6      | 31.70    | (A) 2,189 31.70 |
| South Central   | 694        | -35     | 19.15    | (A) 695 19.15   |
| West            | 536        | -22     | 23.25    | (A) 537 23.25   |
| U.S. total      | 5,030(B)   | -9      | 27.48    | 7 5,037 27.48   |
| To-date         |            |         |          |                 |
| 2005            | 205,987(B) |         |          | 202 206,189     |
| To-date         |            |         |          |                 |
| 2004            | 202,342(B) |         |          | 314 202,656     |

(A) Not published to avoid disclosing individual operations.

(B) Number of young banded breeder turks included: this week 26,000; for the current year to date 1,144,000; for last year to date 2,396,000.

**LIVE POULTRY SLTRD UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION** (Preliminary)

| W/E 19-Nov-2005     | YOUNG<br>CHICKENS | LIGHT<br>HENS | HEAVY<br>HENS | TOTAL<br>HENS | DUCKS  |
|---------------------|-------------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|--------|
| -----THOUSANDS----- |                   |               |               |               |        |
| Head                | 163,621           | 1,427         | 1,444         | 2,871         | 526    |
| Avg Wt              | 5.46              | 3.37          | 8.45          | 5.93          | 6.85   |
| Last week           | 163,999           | 1,296         | 1,427         | 2,723         | 491    |
| Same wk yr ago      | 156,060           | 1,380         | 1,501         | 2,881         | 503    |
| Avg Wt              | 5.28              | 3.42          | 8.01          | 5.81          | 6.71   |
| To-date/2005        | 7,432,403         | 66,262        | 65,436        | 131,698       | 22,966 |
| To-date/2004        | 7,230,431         | 63,169        | 62,970        | 126,139       | 21,629 |

(A) The estimated number of fryers available for marketing based on the 2-week revised average chick placements 6 to 7 weeks earlier was 158.0 million head. Estimated U.S. slaughter for this period was 165.6 million head, or 7.6 million more than estimated available.

**ESTIMATED U.S. LIVE POULTRY SLAUGHTER**

UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION FOR WEEK ENDING 26-Nov-05

| CLASS                   | Current Week<br>11/26/05(1) | Previous Week<br>11/19/05 |
|-------------------------|-----------------------------|---------------------------|
| -----THOUSAND HEAD----- |                             |                           |
| Broiler/fryer           | 127,235(2)                  | 166,912                   |
| Light hens              | 815                         | 1,463                     |
| Heavy hens              | 904                         | 1,457                     |
| Total                   | 128,954                     | 169,832                   |

(1)ESTIMATED

(2)The estimated number of broiler-fryers available for slaughter the week ending 26-Nov-05 is 160.3 million head compared to 119.1 million head slaughtered the same week last year. The estimated U.S. slaughter this week is 127.5 million head or 32.8 million less than estimated available. For the week of 03-Dec-05 the estimated available is 158.0 million head.

**ESTIMATED U.S. FRYER SLAUGHTER/****FRYER AVAILABILITY COMPARISON**

|              |    | MILLION HEAD | MILLION HEAD |      |        |
|--------------|----|--------------|--------------|------|--------|
| WEEK ENDING  |    | SLAUGHTERED  | AVAILABLE    | PCT  | AVG WT |
| October      | 15 | 166.7        | 161.8        | 103% | 5.50   |
|              | 22 | 165.8        | 160.7        | 103% | 5.44   |
|              | 29 | 166.6        | 162.2        | 103% | 5.49   |
| November     | 5  | 163.9        | 161.6        | 101% | 5.47   |
|              | 12 | 166.0        | 160.3        | 104% | 5.53   |
|              | 19 | 165.6        | 158.0        | 105% | 5.46   |
| Year to date |    | 7,522.5      | 7,556.4      | 100% |        |
| November     | 26 |              | 157.2        |      |        |
| December     | 3  |              | 157.5        |      |        |

**FINAL BROILER/FRYER** Final report of prices negotiated for trucklot sales of ready-to-cook ice-packed broiler/fryers (includes branded product) to be delivered to first receivers at major market centers week of

21-NOV-2005 (cents per lb)

|             | U.S. GRADE A |         | COMPOSITE |         |     |
|-------------|--------------|---------|-----------|---------|-----|
|             | MAJ          | WTD AVG | LDS       | WTD AVG | LDS |
| Chicago     | 56.00-59.00  | 59.96   | 39 :      | 62.06   | 76  |
| Los Angeles | 80.00        | 78.02   | 57 :      | 74.96   | 98  |
| New York    | 58.00-61.00  | 59.55   | 22 :      | 62.74   | 47  |

**COMPOSITE WEIGHTED AVERAGE PRICES FOR RTC BROILER/FRYERS**

|  | Change from<br>21-NOV-2005 | 14-NOV-2005 | 14-NOV-2005 | 22-NOV-2004 |
|--|----------------------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|
|  | 66.89                      | -.51        | 67.40       | 68.36       |

NUMBER OF LOADS 492

**WHOLE YOUNG TURKEYS**, FROZEN 1/, CONSUMER SIZES, COMMODITY PACK OR EQUIVALENT, US GRADE A, CENTS PER LB, DELIVERED (MINIMUM 10,000 LB LOTS)

| CURRENT SHIPMENTS 2/ |        |       | WTD   | LBS   |
|----------------------|--------|-------|-------|-------|
| 8-16 LB HENS         | OFFERS | SALES | AVG   | (000) |
| EASTERN REGION 3/    | 84-88  | 85    | 85.00 | 520   |
| CENTRAL REGION 4/    | 83-88  | -     | -     | -     |
| WESTERN REGION 5/    | 84-88  | -     | -     | -     |

**16-24 LB TOMS**

|                |       |    |       |    |
|----------------|-------|----|-------|----|
| EASTERN REGION | 84-85 | 84 | 84.00 | 80 |
| CENTRAL REGION | 83-85 | -  | -     | -  |
| WESTERN REGION | 84-85 | -  | -     | -  |

1/ May include product stored at temperatures in range of 1 to 25 degrees F. 2/ Includes product priced for shipment within 14 days. 3/ Includes product with 3 percent broth basting. 4/ Includes product with 3-6 percent broth basting. 5/ Includes products with 6 percent broth basting.

**COLD STORAGE HOLDINGS** - Selected Centers (INCL GOVT STOCKS) (IN THOUSANDS)

|             | Frozen Eggs/LBS | Turkeys/LBS | Processed other<br>Poultry/LBS |
|-------------|-----------------|-------------|--------------------------------|
| AM 11/21/05 | 3,325           | 43,191      | 64,375                         |
| AM 11/01/05 | 3,885           | 81,804      | 63,547                         |
| CHG         | -560            | -38,613     | 828                            |
| PCT CHG     | -14%            | -47%        | 1%                             |

**HEN MARKETS**

**HEAVY TYPE** (7 pounds and up)\* Final Price, Generally for slaughter the week of 21-NOV-05

| REGIONS          | RANGE                | MAJORITY | WTD<br>AVG |
|------------------|----------------------|----------|------------|
| Southeast (1)    | 9.75-15.25 CENTS/LB. | 12-13    | 12.52      |
| Southeast (2)    | TFEWR                |          |            |
| South Central(1) | 9-15.75 CENTS/LB.    | 12-13    | 12.13      |

(1) At Farm Buyer Loading (2) At Farm Producer Loading

\*Weights under 7 lbs. subject to discount.

**LIGHT TYPE** Cents per head, generally for removal within the next 10 days (includes handling, freight and any other charges, weights average about 3.50 pounds)

|                |                     |                 |
|----------------|---------------------|-----------------|
| 18-NOV-05      | <u>REMOVAL COST</u> |                 |
| <b>REGIONS</b> | <b>RANGE</b>        | <b>MAJORITY</b> |
| Eastern        | 3-13                | 8-9             |
| South Central  | Too Few To Report   |                 |
| North Central  | .5-11               | 6-9             |

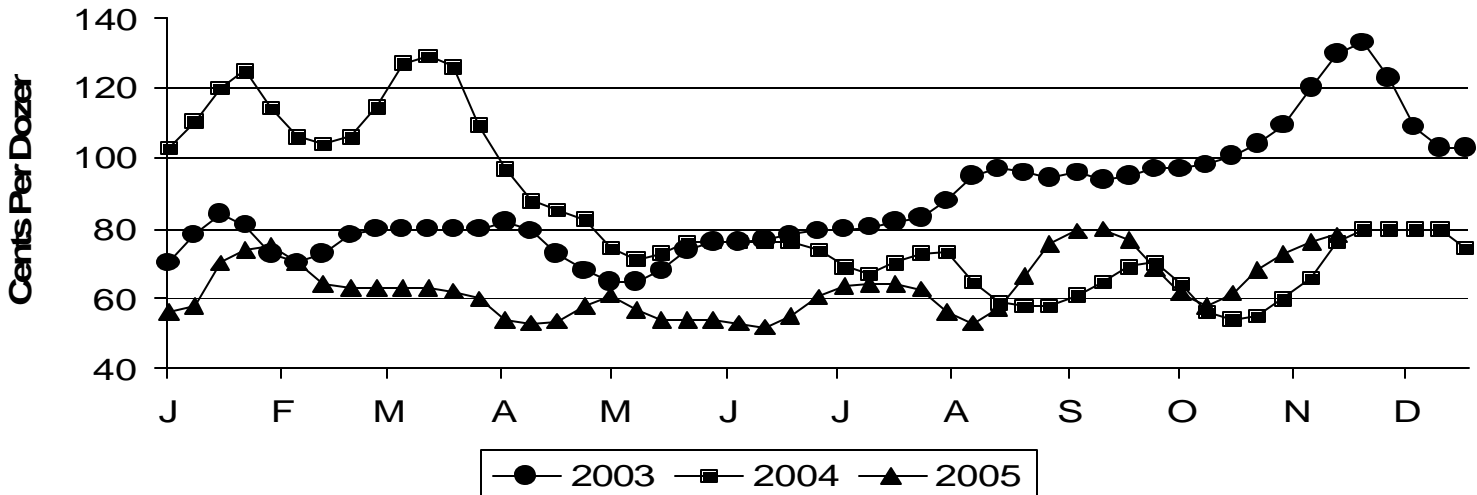
**COMMERCIAL EGG MOVEMENT** (Receipts From Producers)

| W/E 18-NOV-2005    | CASES<br>(IN THOUS) | PERCENT CHANGE FROM<br>PW | LY  |
|--------------------|---------------------|---------------------------|-----|
| <b>REGIONS</b>     |                     |                           |     |
| North Atlantic     | 217.7               | 1                         | 2   |
| East North Central | 666.3               | 2                         | 6   |
| West North Central | 317.4               | 4                         | 3   |
| South Atlantic     | 205.8               | -1                        | -12 |
| South Central      | 67.0                | -1                        | -4  |
| West               | 201.0               | -1                        | 3   |
| Total              | 1,675.2             | -1                        | 1   |

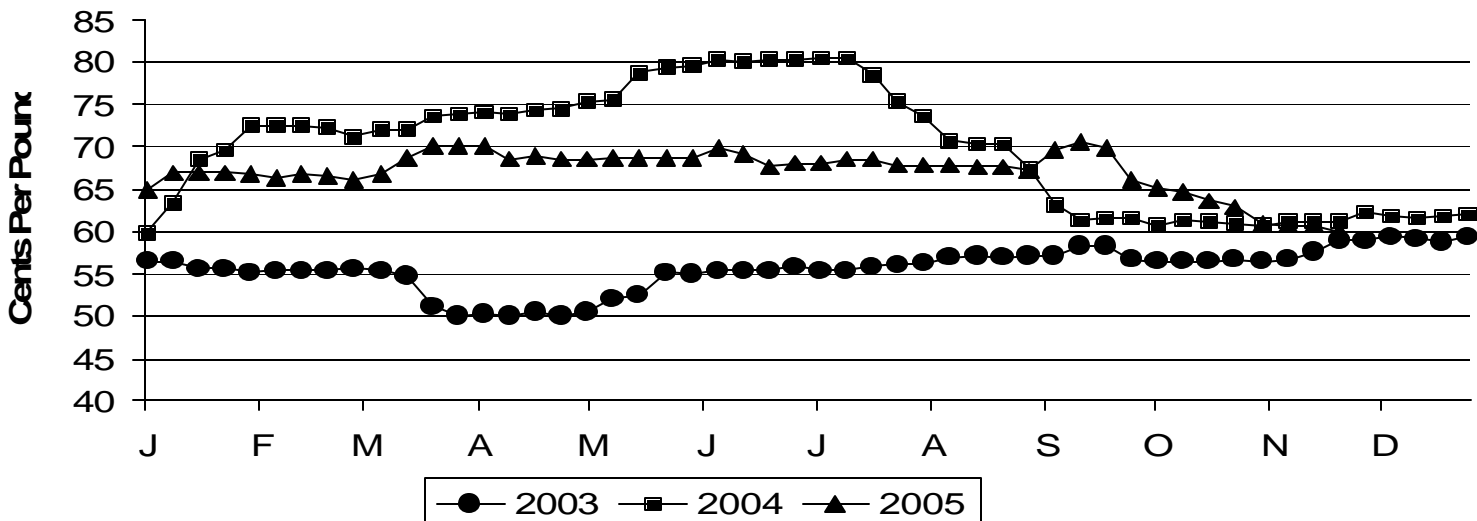
Matched plants reporting 84 84

Areas Covered: North Atlantic (ME,VT,MA,RI,CT,NH,NY,PA,NJ,MC,DE)  
East North Central (WI,IL,MI,OH,IN) West North Central (IA,MN,MO,KS,SD)  
South Atlantic (SC,NC,VA,GA,FL,KY) South Central (TN,AL,AR,MS,OK)  
West (CA,CO,WA,OR,UT)

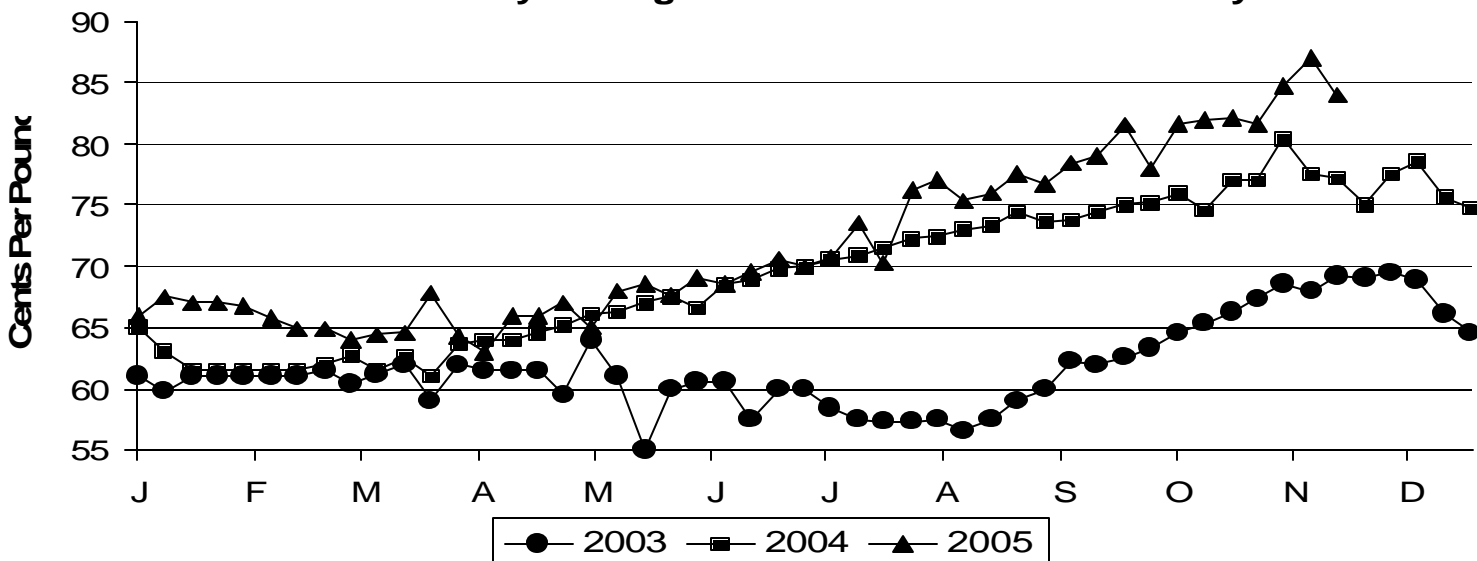
### New York Large Weekly Average Price



### Chicago Broiler/Fryer Weighted Average Prices



### Eastern Weekly Average Prices For 8-16 LB Hen Turkeys



Note: Some Weeks' Average Prices are Based on Offers Only

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| Branch Chief          |       |               |

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| <b>Atlanta, GA</b> | Voice | (404)562-5850 |
| Johnny Freeman,    | Fax   | (404)562-5875 |
| Officer-in-Charge  |       |               |

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| <b>Jackson, MS</b>                | Voice | (601)965-4662 |
| Gary Brown,                       | Fax   | (601)359-1175 |
| (Southern States Area Supervisor) |       |               |

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| <b>Des Moines, IA</b> | Voice    | (515)284-4471 |
| Mary L. Adkins,       | Fax      | (515)284-4468 |
| (Officer-In-Charge)   | Recorded | (515)284-4545 |

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| <b>Long Beach, CA</b> | Voice    | (562)388-7337 |
| Jim Derby,            | Fax      | (562)432-8295 |
| Officer-in-Charge     | Recorded | (213)534-1335 |